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Subject: FW: USG Public Access Restriction

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MaryJean, et. al.,

Thanks for the opportunity to review these conditions around the USG-Redwing facility. This appears to satisfy any concerns with limiting public access to the area where modeled receptors indicated a violation of the SO2 standard. If you could keep us informed on what happens with the five-year lease agreement, we would appreciate that.

Thanks again,

Doug

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Doug and Randy,

Here is what Cory has received from USG in terms of providing documentation on their restriction of public access to the area with the modelled exceedance. We'd like to get your input on this as we wish to ensure it will be satisfactory for the purposes of supporting the final designation for the area.

It is good news that they have a lease in place. However, we have some potential concerns after a quick review of their submittal:

- The lease is for five years with an option to extend (MPCA intends to remedy this potential issue in the AO)
- Use of barbed wire fencing to restrict public access around nearest area of receptor with modelled exceedance.
- While USG states barbed wire fence has been installed as a "precursor to installing a fence around the entire leased property", there is no date for this perimeter fence to be completed, nor is the quality of the fencing discussed.
- The effectiveness of the natural barriers described in restricting the public.

Ruth is out this week. We will take a closer look at this upon her return but want to give you additional time to review. Please let us know your thoughts at your earliest convenience.

Mary Jean

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